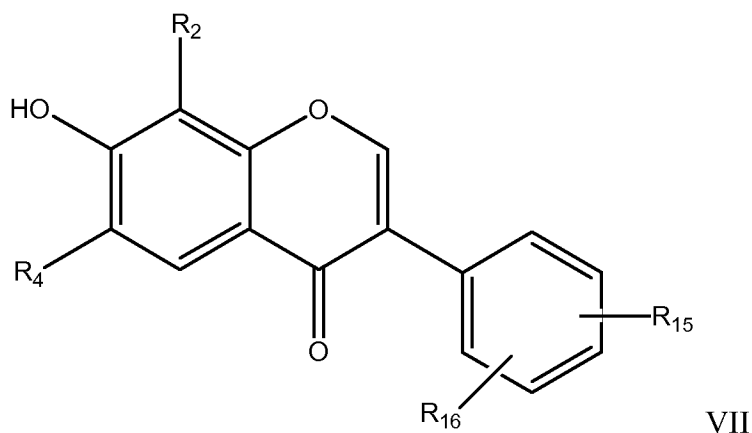
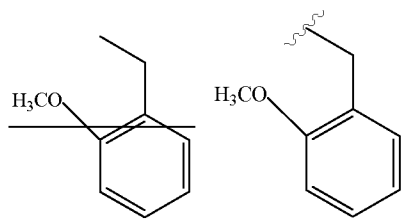


Claim 1 (Currently Amended). A compound of the following formula:



wherein R₂ and R₄ are H;

R₁₅ is amino, or of the following formula:



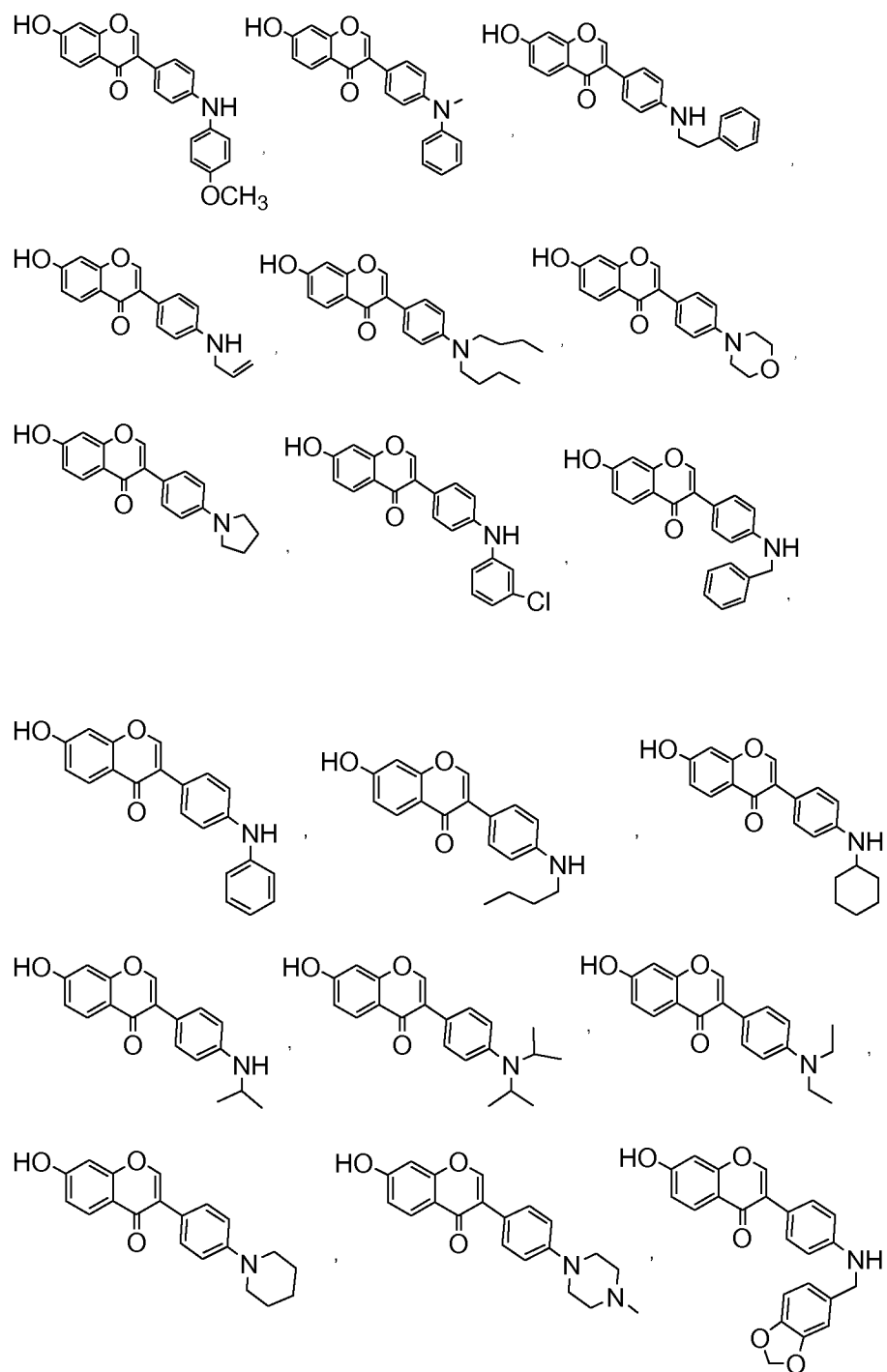
R₁₆ is H, alkyl, acyl, alkoxy, aryl, amino, halogen, HET; wherein HET is chosen from pyrrolidine, morpholine, piperazine, piperidine; with the proviso that R₁₅ is not -NH₂ when R₁₆ is H;

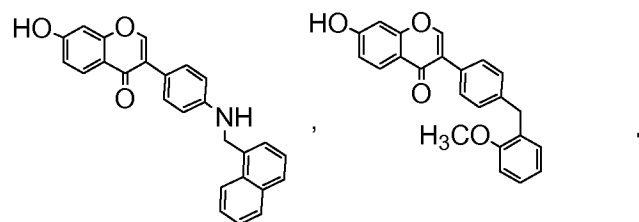
and pharmaceutically acceptable salts and prodrugs thereof.

Claim 2-9 (Canceled).

Claim 10 (Original). A compound of claim 9, wherein HET is pyrrolidine, morpholine.

Claim 11 (Previously Presented). A compound of claim 1 having the following structure:





Claim 12 (Withdrawn). A hormone replacement therapy regimen comprising:
co-administering a therapeutically effective amount of a combination of mammalian estrogen and a compound of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier to a woman having reduced levels of endogenous estrogen.

Claim 13 (Withdrawn). A method for inhibiting or treating coronary heart disease, cardiovascular disease, comprising:
administering a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier to a patient in need thereof.

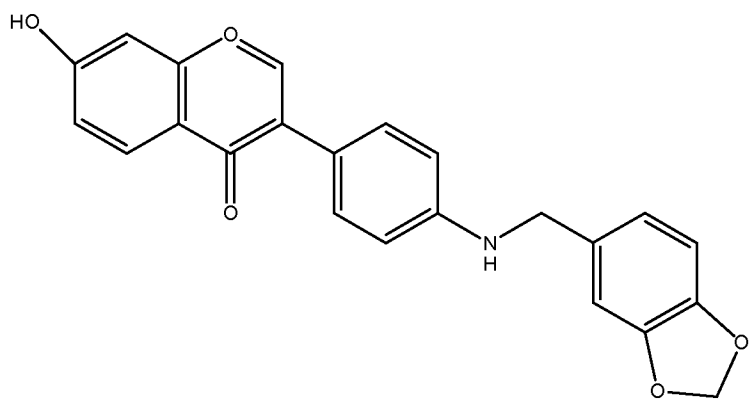
Claim 14 (Withdrawn). A method of inhibiting or treating osteoporosis, comprising:
administering a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier to a patient in need thereof.

Claim 15 (Withdrawn). A method of inhibiting or treating gastrointestinal disease, comprising:
administering a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier to a patient in need thereof.

Claim 16 (Withdrawn). A method of inhibiting or treating amebic infections, including giardiasis, comprising:

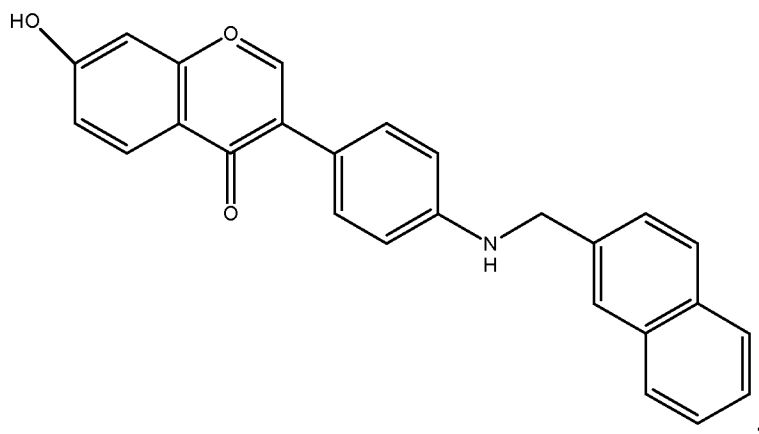
administering a therapeutically effective amount of a compound of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier to a patient in need thereof.

Claim 17 (New). A compound of claim 1, of the following formula:



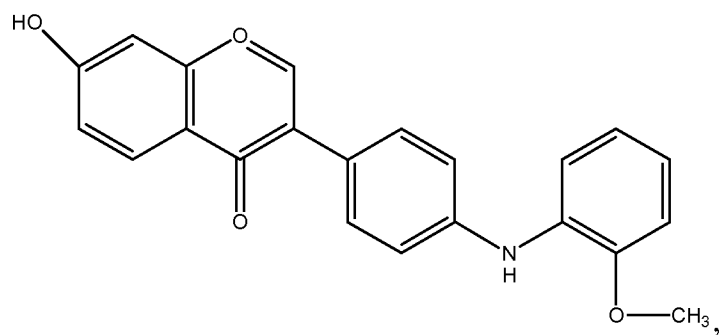
and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.

Claim 18 (New). A compound of claim 1, of the following formula:



and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.

Claim 19 (New). A compound of claim 1, of the following formula:



and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof.